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For: THERAPEUTIC AND DIAGNOSTIC  
METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS  
BASED ON NOTCH PROTEINS AND  
NUCLEIC ACIDS

: GROUP 1800

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It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action, dated December 14, 1994, be extended for the appropriate period to permit the filing of an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.115. It is calculated that the time needed to be extended is for a period of 3 months from March 14, 1995 to and including June 14, 1995.

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